

**REMARKS**

The Official Action constitutes a requirement for restriction.

Applicants elect to prosecute the invention of Group III, claims 17-18, and the single species (d) of cerebrovascular hyperpermeability, without traverse.

The claims readable on the elected species are claims 17-18 and 25-27.

Support for new claims 25-27 are found in original claims 2-4, respectively.

Favorable action on the merits is solicited.

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